**Background:**

**You and your partner(s) are opening up a travel agency. Your agency specializes in eco-tourism, or travel related to seeing a biome and its plants / animals / abiotic components. In order to drum up some business, you are creating informational guides and posters for some of your most popular travel destinations.**

**Tasks:**

**Travel Guide** – write a 10 page Travel Guide to a country/area highlighting the natural wonders, plant & animal life, biomes, etc. one shouldn’t miss on a visit to that country. Each page must have at least two paragraphs of text (ORIGINAL WORK WRITTEN BY YOU) and pictures. Make sure you include a cover (counts as one page).

**Travel Advertisement Poster** – poster should entice the reader with color, text, and pictures to visit a location in your country specifically for its unique biome (must include specific scientific facts associated with the biome; relate these facts to why this would be a great vacation spot!). Size = 1 piece of tag board (regular poster board).

*You will be graded on:*

* *Appropriate use of class time and school resources*
* *Accuracy of information*
* *Completion of all task requirements*
* *Craftsmanship*

You may choose any country or area you are interested in. Some examples of places that have a lot of ecotourism information available can be found at <http://travel.nytimes.com/travel/guides/eco-tourism/overview.html> DO NOT copy and paste from this site (hello, I’ve read all of the articles!) , use it as a resource to help guide you on the path to further exploration.

The Country/ area we are researching is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_